



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Christof KELLER

Appl. No.: 10/609,372

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For: DEVICE FOR TRANSPORTING A
HORIZONTAL STACK POSITIONED ON
A SUPPORT AND FORMED IN A
GATHERING MACHINE WITH
UPRIGHT, LINED-UP SIGNATURES

Art Unit: 3652

Examiner: Janice Lee Krizek

Atty. Docket No.: 40424-189157

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.